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Abercrombie Gutierrez Miller (CA) Hall (OH) Ackerman Mink Allen Moakley Harman Andrews Hastings (FL) Murtha Baldacci Hefner Neal Barrett (WI) Hilliard Oberstar Hinchey Becerra Bishop Holden Olver Blagojevich Hooley Owens Bonior Jackson (IL) Pastor Borski Jackson-Lee Pavne Boucher (TX) Pelosi Brown (FL) Jefferson Rangel Brown (OH) Johnson, E. B. Rivers Kanjorski Cardin Rodriguez Roybal-Allard Kaptur Carson Kennedy (MA) Clav Rush Clayton Kennedy (RI) Sabo Clement Kilpatrick Sanders Kind (WI) Clyburn Sawver Conyers Klink Schumer Kucinich Covne Serrano Cummings LaFalce Sherman Danner Davis (FL) Lampson Skaggs Lantos Slaughter Lewis (GA) Davis (IL) Smith, Adam Lofgren DeGette Stabenow Delahunt Lowey Luther Stokes Strickland DeLauro Dellums Maloney (CT) Stupak Deutsch Maloney (NY) Tauscher Dingell Manton Thompson Doggett Doyle Markey Tierney Mascara Torres Edwards Matsui Engel McCarthy (MO) Velazquez Eshoo McCarthy (NY) Vento Visclosky Fattah McDermott Fazio Foglietta McGovern McNulty Waters Watt (NC) Meehan Waxman Frank (MA) Meek Weygand Menendez Frost Woolsev Millender Wynn McDonald Gordon

### NOT VOTING—18

Archer Greenwood Schiff Bateman Hoyer Stark Brown (CA) Kennelly Thomas Cannon Levin Wexler Linder Yates Young (AK) Molinari Gonzalez

So the motion to lay on the table the motion to reconsider the vote was agreed to.

*Ordered,* That the Clerk request the concurrence of the Senate in said bill.

## $\P86.31$ Message from the president

A message in writing from the President of the United States was communicated to the House by Mr. Sherman Williams, one of his secretaries.

## ¶86.32 MOTION TO ADJOURN

Mr. BONIOR moved that the House do now adjourn.

The question being put, viva voce, Will the House now adjourn?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. NUSSLE, announced that the nays had it.

Mr. BONIOR demanded a recorded vote on agreeing to said motion, which demand was supported by one-fifth of a quorum, so a recorded vote was ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device

It was decided in the | Yeas ...... 96 | Nays ..... 315

### ¶86.33 [Roll No. 323] AYES—96

Abercrombie Ford Moakley Frank (MA) Andrews Nadler Barrett (WI) Neal Frost Furse Oberstar Berry Blumenauer Geidenson Obev Bonior Gephardt Owens Boucher Gillmor Pallone Hall (OH) Brown (FL) Pascrell Brown (OH) Hastings (FL) Payne Hinchey Jackson (IL) Pelosi Capps Peterson (MN) Carson Jefferson Clay Pomeroy Clayton John Rodriguez Johnson (WI) Clyburn Rush Johnson, E. B. Conyers Sabo Covne Kennelly Sisisky Kilpatrick Cubin Skaggs Smith, Adam Davis (FL) LaFalce DeFazio Lampson Spratt DeGette Lantos Stokes Lewis (GA) Delahunt Strickland DeLauro Lowey Stupak Manton Tauscher Dellums Dicks Markey Thompson Dingell Thurman Martinez Doggett Matsui Torres Dooley McDermott Vento McGovern Waters Farr Watt (NC) Fazio McKinney McNulty Filner Waxman Flake Meek Wevgand Foglietta Woolsey

## NOES-315

Chambliss Ackerman Fox Franks (NJ) Aderholt Chenoweth Allen Christensen Frelinghuysen Archer Gallegly Clement Armey Coble Ganske Gekas Gibbons Bachus Coburn Collins Baesler Baker Combest Gilchrest Ballenger Condit Gilman Barcia Cook Goode Cooksey Goodlatte Barrett (NE) Costello Goodling Bartlett Cox Gordon Barton Cramer Bass Crane Graham Becerra Crapo Granger Cummings Bentsen Green Greenwood Bereuter Cunningham Berman Danner Gutierrez Bilbray Bilirakis Davis (IL) Gutknecht Davis (VA) Hall (TX) Bishop Deal Hamilton Blagojevich Bliley DeLay Hansen Deutsch Hastert Diaz-Balart Hastings (WA) Boehlert Dickey Hayworth Boehner Dixon Hefley Doolittle Bonilla Herger Bono Borski Doyle Hill Hilliard Dreier Boswell Duncan Hinojosa Boyd Dunn Hobson Brady Edwards Hoekstra Brown (CA) Ehlers Holden Bryant Bunning Emerson Hooley Horn Engel English Hostettler Burr Burton Ensign Houghton Hulshof Buyer Eshoo Callahan Etheridge Hunter Hutchinson Calvert Evans Camp Everett Hyde Ewing Campbell Inglis Istook Canady Fattah Cardin Jackson-Lee Fawell Foley Castle (TX) Chabot Forbes Jenkins

Johnson (CT) Moran (KS) Schaffer, Bob Johnson, Sam Moran (VA) Schumer Morella Jones Scott Kanjorski Sensenbrenner Kaptur Kasich Myrick Serrano Nethercutt Sessions Shadegg Kelly Neumann Kennedy (MA) Ney Northup Shaw Kennedy (RI) Shays Sherman Norwood Kim Nussle Shimkus Kind (WI) Ortiz Shuster King (NY) Oxley Skeen Packard Kingston Skelton Klink Pappas Slaughter Klug Knollenberg Parker Smith (MI) Smith (NJ) Pastor Smith (OR) Kolbe Paul Kucinich Paxon Smith (TX) LaHood Smith, Linda Pease Peterson (PA) Snowbarger Largent Latham Petri Snyder Pickering Solomon LaTourette Lazio Pickett Souder Leach Pitts Stabenow Pombo Levin Stearns Lewis (CA) Stenholm Porter Lewis (KY) Portman Stump Lipinski Poshard Sununu Livingston Price (NC Talent LoBiondo Prvce (OH) Tanner Lofgren Quinn Tauzin Taylor (MS) Lucas Rahall Taylor (NC) Luther Ramstad Maloney (CT) Rangel Thomas Maloney (NY) Redmond Thornberry Manzullo Regula Thune Mascara Reyes Tiahrt McCarthy (MO) Riggs Tierney McCarthy (NY) Rilev Towns McCollum Traficant Rivers McCrery McDade Roemer Turner Rogan Upton McHale Visclosky Rogers Rohrabacher McHugh Walsh Ros-Lehtinen McInnis Wamp McIntosh Rothman Watkins McIntyre Roukema Watts (OK) Weldon (FL) Roybal-Allard McKeon Meehan Weldon (PA) Royce Ryun Salmon Menendez Weller Metcalf White Mica Sanchez Whitfield Millender-Sanders Wicker McDonald Sandlin Wise Miller (CA) Sanford Wolf

# Schaefer, Dan NOT VOTING—23

Wynn

Young (FL)

Baldacci Hilleary Schiff Bateman Hoyer Kleczka Spence Stark Cannon Ehrlich Linder Velazquez Fowler Molinari Wexler Gonzalez Olver Yates Radanovich Harman Young (AK) Hefner Scarborough

Sawver

Saxton

Miller (FL)

Mollohan

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So the motion to adjourn was not agreed to.

## $\P86.34$ Providing for the Consideration of H.R. 2203

Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, by direction of the Committee on Rules, called up the following resolution (H. Res. 194):

Resolved, That at anytime after the adoption of this resolution the Speaker may, pursuant to clause 1(b) of rule XXIII, declare the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2203) making appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1998, and for other purposes. The first reading of the bill shall be dispensed with. General debate shall be confined to the bill and shall not exceed one hour equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations. After general debate the bill shall be considered for amendment under the five-minute rule. Points of order against pro-

visions in the bill for failure to comply with clause 2 or 6 of rule XXI are waived. During consideration of the bill for amendment, the Chairman of the Committee of the Whole may accord priority in recognition on the basis of whether the Member offering an amendment has caused it to be printed in the portion of the Congressional Record designated for that purpose in clause 6 of rule XXIII. Amendments so printed shall be considered as read. The Chairman of the Committee of the Whole may: (1) postpone until a time during further consideration in the Committee of the Whole a request for a recorded vote on any amendment; and (2) reduce to five minutes the minimum time for electronic voting on any postponed question that follows another electronic vote without intervening business, provided that the minimum time for electronic voting on the first in any series of questions shall be fifteen minutes. At the conclusion of consideration of the bill for amendment the Committee shall rise and report the bill to the House with such amendments as may have been adopted. The previous question shall be considered as ordered on the bill and amendments thereto to final passage without intervening motion except one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

When said resolution was considered. After debate,

On motion of Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, the previous question was ordered on the resolution to its adoption or rejection and under the operation thereof, the resolution was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said resolution was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the

### \$186.35 Energy and water

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. NUSSLE, pursuant to House Resolution 194 and rule XXIII, declared the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for the consideration of the bill (H.R. 2203) making appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1998, and for other purposes.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. NUSSLE, by unanimous consent, designated Mr. OXLEY as Chairman of the Committee of the Whole; and after some time spent therein,

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. KLUG, assumed the Chair.

When Mr. OXLEY, Chairman, reported that the Committee, having had under consideration said bill, had come to no resolution thereon.

## ¶86.36 ORDER OF BUSINESS— CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 2159

On motion of Mr. SOLOMON, by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That consideration of the bill (H.R. 2159) making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1998, and for other purposes, may proceed according to the following order:

(1) The Speaker may at any time, as though pursuant to clause 1(b) of rule XXIII, declare the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for consider-

ation of said bill.

(2) The first reading of the bill shall be dispensed with. Points of order against consideration of the bill for failure to comply with clause 7 of rule XXI are waived. General debate shall be confined to the bill and shall not exceed one hour equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations. After general debate the bill shall be considered for amendment under the five-minute rule.

(3) Points of order against provisions in the bill for failure to comply with clause 2 or 6 of rule XXI are waived except as follows: beginning with ": Provided" on page 24, line 8, through "justice" on line 16. Where points of order are waived against part of a paragraph, points of order against a provision in another part of such paragraph may be made only against such provision and not against the entire paragraph.

(4) The amendments printed in House Report 105-184 may be offered only by a Member designated in the report and only at the appropriate point in the reading of the bill, shall be considered as read, shall be debatable for the time specified in the report equally divided and controlled by the proponent and an opponent, shall not be subject to amendment except as specified in the report, and shall not be subject to a demand for division of the question in the House or in the Committee of the Whole. All points of order against the amendments printed in the report are waived. No other amendment shall be in order unless printed in the portion of the Congressional Record designated for that purpose in clause 6 of rule XXII.

(5) The chairman of the Committee of the Whole may: (1) postpone until a time during further consideration in the Committee of the Whole a request for a recorded vote on any amendment; and (2) reduce to five minutes the minimum time for electronic voting on any postponed question that follows another electronic vote without intervening business, provided that the minimum time for electronic voting on the first in any series of questions shall be 15 minutes.

(6) At the conclusion of consideration of the bill for amendment the Committee shall rise and report the bill to the House with such amendments as may have been adopted. The previous question shall be considered as ordered on the bill and amendments thereto to final passage without intervening motion except one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

(7) Notwithstanding any other provision of this order, the amendment numbered 1 in House Report 105-184 shall be debatable for 40 minutes.

(8) Notwithstanding any other provision of this order, it shall be in order in lieu of the amendment numbered 2 in House Report 105-184 to consider the amendment at the Speaker's desk authored by Representative Gilman of New York, Representative Pelosi of California, Representative Campbell of California, Representative Lowey of

New York, Representative Greenwood Pennsylvania, Representative DeLauro of Connecticut, and Representative Slaughter of New York, which may be offered by any of the named authors, shall be debatable for 40 minutes, and shall otherwise be considered as though printed as the amendment numbered 2 in House Report 105-184.

(9) House Resolution 185 is laid on the table.

### ¶86.37 ENERGY AND WATER

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. KLUG, pursuant to House Resolution 194 and rule XXIII, declared the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for the further consideration of the bill (H.R. 2203) making appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1998, and for other purposes.

Mr. OXLEY, Chairman of the Com-

mittee of the Whole, resumed the chair; and after some time spent there-

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The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. MCINNIS, assumed the Chair.

When Mr. OXLEY, Chairman, reported that the Committee, having had under consideration said bill, had come to no resolution thereon.

### ¶86.38 MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT— IMMIGRATION REFORM

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. McINNIS, laid before the House a message from the President, which was read as follows:

## To the Congress of the United States:

I am pleased to submit for your immediate consideration and enactment the "Immigration Reform Transition Act of 1997," which is accompanied by a section-by-section analysis. This legislative proposal is designed to ensure that the complete transition to the new "cancellation of removal" (formerly "suspension of deportation") provisions of the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1996 (IIRIRA; Public Law 104-208) can be accomplished in a fair and equitable manner consistent with our law enforcement needs and foreign policy interests.

This legislative proposal would aid the transition to IIRIRA's new cancellation of removal rules and prevent the unfairness of applying those rules to cases pending before April 1, 1997, the effective date of the new rules. It would also recognize the special circumstances of certain Central Americans who entered the United States in the 1980s in response to civil war and political persecution. The Nicaraguan Review Program, under successive Administrations from 1985 to 1995, protected roughly 40,000 Nicaraguans from deportation while their cases were under review. During this time the American Baptist Churches